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### **MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA**

Name of Organization: Nevada Commission on Services for Persons with Disabilities (Nevada Revised Statute [NRS] 426.365)

Date and Time of Meeting: October 28, 2014  
9:00 a.m.

Location: Nevada Disability Advocacy and Law Center  
1875 Plumas Street, Suite 1  
Reno, NV 89509

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### **Agenda**

- I. Welcome and Introductions  
Brian Patchett, Commission Chairperson
- II. Public Comment (No action may be taken upon a matter raised under public comment period unless the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an action item. Public comment at the beginning and end of the agenda may be limited to three minutes per person at the discretion of the chairperson. Members of the public may comment on matters not appearing on this agenda or may offer comment on specific agenda items. Comments may be discussed by the Board but no action may be taken. The matter may be placed on a future agenda for action)
- III. Approval of Minutes from the September 30, 2014 Meeting **(For Possible Action)**  
Brian Patchett, Commission Chairperson
- IV. Update and Follow Up, Including Any Recommendations for Further Action  
On the Following **(For Possible Action)**:
  - Legislative Committee on Senior Citizens, Veterans, and Adults with Special Needs, and Review List of Key Bill Draft Requests.
  - Employment First Task Force

- Town Hall Meetings for Service Needs of the Blind and Visually Impaired
- Letter from Director of Department of Health and Human Services Regarding the Submission of Funding Priority Recommendations to DHHS.

Brian Patchett, Commission Chairperson

Jack Mayes, Nevada Disability Advocacy & Law Center

- V. Presentation on Department of Health and Human Services Budget Highlights for Fiscal Year 2016-2017  
Romaine Gilliland, Director, DHHS
- VI. Presentation on Department of Employment Training and Rehabilitation's Budget on Vocational Rehab for the Next Fiscal Year and Changes in the Workforce Innovation and Opportunities Act (WIOA) Affecting Vocational Rehabilitation  
Shelley Hendren, Administrator, Rehabilitation Division  
Melaine Mason, Deputy Administrator of Operations
- VII. Update and Report on State Independent Living Plan from Northern Nevada Independent living and Review Services Provided by SILC  
Lisa Bonie, Executive Director, Northern Nevada Center for Independent Living
- VIII. Update on the Status of Nevada's Olmstead Plan and Caseload Evaluation Organization Numbers  
Tina Gerber-Winn, Deputy Administrator, ADSD
- IX. Discussion and Update on CSPD Subcommittee on Communication Services for Persons Who are Deaf or Hard of Hearing and People with Speech Disabilities (SOCS)  
Julie Balderson, ADSD
- X. Discussion on Recommendations Made by the CSPD Nominating Subcommittee for Filling Vacant CSPD and Subcommittee Membership Positions (For Possible Action)  
Bill Heavillin, Nominating Subcommittee Chair
- XI. Discussion and Possible Determination of Issues and Agenda Items to be Considered or Deliberated at the Next Meeting (For Possible Action)  
Brian Patchett, Commission Chairperson
- XII. Confirm Dates for Future Meetings: November 18, 2014 (For Possible Action)  
Brian Patchett, Commission Chairperson
- XIII. Public Comment (May Include General Announcements by Commissioners) (No action may be taken upon a matter raised under public comment period unless the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an action item. Public comment at the beginning and end of the

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#### XIV. Adjournment

Brian Patchett, Commission Chairperson

##### **Commission on Services for Persons with Disabilities Members**

Brian Patchett (Chair), Mary Bryant (Co-Chair), Bill Heavilin, Gary Olsen, Jodi Sabal, Jon Sasser, Karen Taycher, Nicole Schomberg, Jennifer Pharr, Shelley Hendren

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##### ***Agenda Posted at the Following Locations:***

1. Aging and Disability Services Division, Carson City Office, 3416 Goni Road, Suite D-132, Carson City, NV 89706
2. Aging and Disability Services Division, Las Vegas Office, 1860 East Sahara Avenue, Las Vegas, NV 89104
3. Aging and Disability Services Division, Reno Office, 445 Apple Street, Suite 104, Reno, NV 89502
4. Aging and Disability Services Division, Elko Office, 1010 Ruby Vista Drive, Suite 104, Elko, NV 89801
5. Nevada Community Enrichment Program, 2820 West Charleston Boulevard, Las Vegas, NV 89146
6. Southern Nevada Center for Independent Living, 6039 El Dora Street H-8, Las Vegas, NV 89101
7. Disability Resource Center, So. E. Greg St., Suite 102 Sparks, NV 89431
8. Nevada State Library and Archives, 100 North Stewart Street, Carson City, NV 89706
9. Desert Regional Center, 1391 South Jones Boulevard, Las Vegas, NV 89146
10. Sierra Regional Center, 605 South 21<sup>st</sup> Street, Reno, NV 89431
11. Rural Regional Center, 1665 Old Hot Springs Road, Carson City, NV 89706
12. Northern Nevada Center for Independent Living, 999 Pyramid Way, Sparks, NV 89431
13. Dept. of Health and Human Services, 4126 Technology Way, Carson City, NV 89706
14. Early Intervention Services, 2667 Enterprise Road, Reno, NV 89512

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